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SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—A Washington special says: There seems to be a question of veracity between the President and Blaine as to whether the president sent the letter of instructions to Trescott before it left. Blaine yesterday said the president saw the letter. A member of the administration well knows the facts are that the president saw a copy of the letter of instructions in the hands of Blaine and suggested some changes, but the instructions which were ultimately sent to Trescott were not the instructions the president directed to be sent. They were substantially the original draft as prepared by Blaine with the express modifications directed to be made by the president omitted. A gentleman connected with the Peruvian company said to a friend: "The people which certain newspapers are making out that Secretary Blaine was in any respect connected with the Peruvian company are absolutely false. The objects of the Peruvian company are entirely new and to the casually to Chili and secure an exchange therefor recognition by the government of Peru of the Cochet claim of one-third of the discoveries made by them of guano and nitrate deposits. The government of Peru had already granted one-third to every discovery of valuable deposits upon its public domain, and Cochet's claim of at least $600,000,000 due from Peru by virtue of discovery cannot be gainsayed. His claim is one which is likely to show that Grant is deserving of censure as Shephard and Blaine are at least as Shephard, for, both Grant and Shephard are private citizens... Grant, unless greatly misrepresented by Shephard, was an investigator of nitrate schemes. His name was used here by Shephard in support of his schemes, and it is known that he was to be paid some $50 a month and bound to secure the influence of the United States government to further Shephard's interests. The state department supplies the letter of instructions that appear in the Shephard letter. Of these 45 were of private items, and were public men.

Chicago Correspondent's View.

The *Advertiser* correspondent says: It is of a somewhat significant fact that almost all of the members of the present administration of the same cabinet table with the late President had an opportunity of consulting him and they did not know what policy was being given to Chili and Peru. No one doubts that the president has every confidence in and has given him to the fullest extent in matters of diplomacy, but notwithstanding all purposes were either not fully explained or misunderstood. Blaine was very sensitive to his associates in the cabinet and to the president when he thought any of the business on hand justified it. Announcements is regarded by many politicians as evidence that he intends to leave and strike the administration with him politically to do so.

The General Subject of Talk.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Specials from Washington on position and views of Blaine in regard to the foreign policy of the United States continue the subject of general conversation. A correspondent says the personal contest, for the time being, is political, between President Arthur and Blaine grows more and more intensified with each case day by day to the public. The president say that Blaine is staking all on the turn of the tide one way or the other will resort to every means to promote his success. The president is undoubtedly very deeply the attempt of Blaine to use as a timid and inconsistent man, but Blaine overstepped the bounds of prudence. But almost of subordination to the career at the head of the state department urged that Blaine was actuated by public motives and a legitimate ambition for presidency than by a wish to benefit himself pecuniarily. Blaine does not sit still, and talks about the future with his usual aggressiveness. He claims that he did not wish to go into speculation back of the Peruvian embargo; he can show more than one man to Arthur as anybody can. Politicians are watching the progress of every with the keenest interest.

Oscar Wilde's Reception.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The Women's Silk Culture association held its first exhibition this evening at St. George's hall. Its aim is to enlist the interest of domestic silk-growing and its benefits to be received by women in their rural homes. The society has been in existence less than two years, but in that time it has distributed eggs and slips of mulberry trees in nearly every state of the Union. Silk worms hatched from the eggs taken hold of the new industry were raised by the society. One ounce of eggs, and worms hatched from it, produce 25 pounds of cocoons. The society pays one dollar per pound for cocoons, from which the silk is reeled. A pound of cocoons making about a pound of silk. The reeling is done by the society. At the opening this evening Rev. Dr. King, ex-Governor Pol. Rev. Dr. V. H. Tiffany and others were present. Mrs. John W. B. Elliotshead, Chas. D. Bishop Simpson, vice presidents. Addresses by Kelly farm for the best cocoons called out twenty-five competitors from southern states. In all thirty exhibitors of cocoons, done by the worms on branches, and also small paper horns according to the system as well as packed in bottles of cocoons, double and glazed cocoons with worms eggs and specimens of moths. Especially interesting the silk of foreign and domestic manufacture, the silk of a new species fed on osage orange leaves by Prof. C. V. Riley, of the U. S. department of agriculture. The process of reeling was illustrated this evening, and plush, and ribbons were in operation. There is a variety of manufactured silk goods, including printed screens and banners.

Sentence of a Foolish Girl.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The *Times* says: Miss Belle Cleveland, California, has told a somewhat heartbreaking story of some curious doings at the Gilt Oaks and about two weeks ago. Her friends at Tucson, Arizona. On the 18th met a handsome young fellow, who gave his name as Walter H. Chase, and who succeeded in winning her affections. He induced her to go with him to Chicago, promising to marry her immediately on their arrival. They arrived there at the end of the week, registering at the hotel as "W. B. Hunt and wife." Chase told her they should spend Sunday seeing the sights of the town, and they would get married the next day. He deposited her satchel, with $100 worth of jewelry and $1400 in money, in the safe of the hotel. Sunday came and Monday over, he left her alone quietly sleeping, and going to the office for the satchel. He got it and they never saw his face no more. Miss Metzger in a short time found herself a friendless girl, about 21 years old, in a strange city, absolutely penniless, and her trunk was seized by the hotel on account of her board bill. After her wild escapade she is said to be afraid to appear among friends in California.

Exceeding their Instructions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—In response to the statement made by the associated press that the Black Hills delegation at Washington had requested the removal of Governor Ordway, the following telegram, numerously signed by leading citizens of the Black Hills, was forwarded to the members of this delegation and published in the papers. The delegation from the Black Hills now in Washington to make a fight on Gov. Ordway's dispatches indicate, but to work for the admission of Dakota as a state. In the removal of the governor they not their instructions, but misrepresent the people of Dakota."

Small Transactions.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The *Post* says: The amount of Europe to-day is from present accounts, $600,000, more than half of which represents small transactions, the shipper being his own banker. The smallness of the specie shipment and favorable tenor of foreign advices, have improved the tone of the stock exchange

Convention of Agriculturists.

The annual convention of the American Agriculture association was held to-day. About seventy-five were present from different parts of the United States. President Sprague delivered his address, and spoke at length on agricultural matters affecting this country with other countries, showing that the United States led in production. Letters of regret were read from President Arthur, Gov. Foster of Ohio, Gov.

Death in Lead Salt Shipments.

[illegible] Jan. 31.—Commissioner Fink's latest circular states that since rates to the Mississippi river will be cancelled until July 1st, they will be bound by the Southwestern association rate from Chicago to the Mississippi river on freight from Boston, New York or Philadelphia, which will be 20 per cent. of the total rate to the Mississippi river, and from Baltimore 25 per cent.

Just too Bitterly Intense.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Oscar Wilde attracted to Music Hall last evening an audience which filled every seat. Sixty Harvard students appeared in full dress coats and knee breeches and carrying lilies and sunflowers. The esthete was heartily guyed and showed unmistakable anger.

Fires at Lockport.

LOCKPORT, Feb. 1.—Three flour mills were burned to-day. Loss $100,000. Several firemen were hurt and the assistant chief engineer killed. Several other buildings were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss and insurance unknown.

New York Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Silver bars 111, money 6@1-64 per cent., governments, strong, higher; stocks, generally higher: W. U., 80¾; Quicksilver, 12¾; Pacific, 41¾; Maripposa, 4; Wells, Fargo, 128; N. Y. C., 136½; Erie, 30¾; Panama, 195; U. P., 117; bonds, 113¾; C. P., 88¾; bonds, 113¾; Sutro, 9.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Day for Discussion of Page's Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Representative Page has obtained unanimous consent of the house for assignment of next Tuesday for consideration of the Chinese bill reported by him from the committee on education and labor, upon condition that this assignment shall not interfere with the apportionment bill now on the house calendar, if it shall have been reached for action. He did not ask for the assignment of an earlier day because he wished to avoid any appearance of trying to crowd the house bill through in advance of the senate measure, now before the house, or bring up to-morrow; and for the reason also that the expected discussion and action on this subject in the senate would probably facilitate similar favorable action in the house. Allowing for all ordinary delays, however, there seems to be very little doubt that within the next two or three weeks some practical measure for restriction of Chinese emigration will pass both houses of congress and take its place upon the statute book.

Delay of the Chinese Bill.

When Senator Miller last week gave notice that he would ask the senate to take up the Chinese bill on the first day of February, it was generally believed that the 3 per cent. funding bill would by that time be out of the way, but as the latter measure is still undisposed of, there is no probability of any opportunity being found to call any other business. There are also other obstacles in the way of bringing the Chinese bill before the senate for action this week, arising from notice given by various senators that, to General Miller's, that they desired to make speeches on the tariff commission bill as soon as the funding bill should be disposed of, and on the other hand it seems to be the impression that it will not be reached in the senate before the middle of next week at the earliest.

Reasons for Delay in Sargent's Nomination.

Ex-Senator Sargent's nomination as secretary of the interior was not sent in to-day as originally intended, for the reason mainly that the Schurz bill has not yet reached a point of final action in the interior department, and Sargent of course is not willing to have it left over for his decision, as he has been assured will be an attorney in case in behalf of the settlers. The unexpectedly long delay in its decision by Secretary Kirkwood has been caused by the voluminous character of papers and the pressure of current daily business of the sort which does not admit of postponement, but the cause is now cleared the secretary and he promises to announce a decision within the next few days. It is possible there may be a slight additional delay in Sargent's appointment, as the secretary feels that he should time to close up some other unfinished business, but Sargent's friends (including Senator Miller who visited the white house this forenoon) say there has been no change of opinion on President Arthur's purpose to place him in charge of the interior department, and as soon as these various considerations of propriety and personal convenience will permit.

Pacheco and a Foreign Mission.

Congressman Pacheco's attention was yesterday called to copious published statements that he thinks he would make an excellent minister to Chili, and would like to step into General Kilpatrick's shoes. Pacheco replied that the statement is wholly unfounded and that he has no ambition in that direction. There is some reason to believe, however, that the governor would not decline an appointment as minister to Mexico, for which he is specially fitted by his familiarity with the Spanish language and his personal acquaintance with Mexican authorities.

More Frauds Reported.

Senator Van Wyck has obtained a number of facts supporting his charge of fraud in western land surveys, and will speak on the subject as soon as he gets the floor. Among other things, he will show that the cost of western surveys is enormously disproportionate to the sales of land. His charges have considerably aroused the officers implicated. Benson, for some years connected with land surveys in the west, is here hampering western members. It is asserted Benson is here in the interest of an alleged ring which includes most surveyors general, to attempt to defeat Van Wyck.

Arthur's Delay in Making Appointments.

Some republican senators are very much disappointed because nominations they expected have not been sent in. Several western senators who called upon the president again to-day in regard to appointments were once more told they would have to wait a few days, and they left the White House in anything but good humor. Impatience at the president's delay is beginning to manifest itself quite freely. There is much speculation as to his motive for delaying nominations, but nobody seems to be able to explain it.

Star Route Testimony.

E. A. Boom testified in the star route trials that he had brought the question of sureties for mail route bids and contracts before Postmaster General Tyner in 1877, and that the latter had ruled that the department must receive when offered one and the same sureties on different bids and contracts, so long as such surety demonstrated his ability to meet any loss resulting from the contractor's inability to perform the service stipulated on each particular route.

Looking out for the Coin Sail.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Ex-Commissioner of Patents Marble, now land commissioner of the N. P. R. R. is here, and has been in conference with congressmen. He is here, it is said, to watch the Cobb bill and kindred measures in relation to forfeiture of land grants. Mr. Marble's Northern Pacific Company was not apprehensive of losing its land and that the company as its officers were entirely satisfied with the reference of the Cobb bill to the judiciary committee.

A Naval Recommendation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Hunt has written a circular letter to officers and men of the United States navy, commending their attention to a circular issued by the society of the Army of the Cumberland, in reference to the erection of a monument to the memory of the late President James A. Garfield, in a public square of the city of Washington.

A Reconsideration Wanted.

Saunders will move a reconsideration of the vote by which Plumb's amendment to the Sherman bill was passed. Sherman says if the Plumb amendment becomes part of the bill, he will abandon the bill or surrender it to Plumb and vote against it.

Reducing Postage.

Hill introduced a bill reducing the postage on letters or sealed packages to two cents for each half ounce, under two ounces and for each additional two ounces or fraction thereof two cents; referred.

The Postoffice Bill.

The house went into committee of the whole on the postoffice appropriation bill. It appropriates $47,929,000. It is estimated $42,441,600 revenue will be derived from the department. The committee cut down several of the estimates and reduced to appropriate over $50,000 for extending the carrier system.

Probably a Crank.

A. W. Von Schmidt is to bring suit against the United States in the court of claims for alleged infringement of his patent of the method of removing submerged rocks, which has been used by the government in removal of obstructions at Hallett's point and other places.

An Unfulfilled Promise.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The ways and means committee are at work on the tariff question. It is evident the promises made by Beckell that the bill dent the promises made by Beckell that the bill would be reported this week will not be kept.

After the Mexican Mission.

Friends of Col. Pirkin, ex U. S. marshal of Louisiana, claim he will get the Mexican mission. He was an applicant for it under President Garfield and had very strong backing. Grant appointed him, but U. S. marshal. He still has warm friendship. Cassill of St. Louis, is also asking for the place.

Summing up their Work.

The sub-committee on the contingent fund investigation have turned the work of summing up to Senator Cockrell, and the inquiry will soon be concluded.

Death of the Sherman Bill!

Voorhees's amendment to the Sherman funding bill was rejected, 39 to 25; Plumb for it and all republicans and four democrats against it. This will probably kill the bill.

The Star Route Trial.

Straw-bond star route cases were up again to-day and most of the time occupied by argument concerning the proper form in court of certain bids and their contracts.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Austrian Insurrection Rapidly Increasing.

THE INSURGENTS GAIN SEVERAL SLIGHT VICTORIES.

Fearful Loss of Fishermen at the Mouth of the Volga River Union Generale Notes, etc.

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LONDON, Feb. 1.—On Monday an Austrian battalion, consisting of six and jaegers between Kraczina and Tolecha, was routed and the convoy captured.

There has been no fighting since the encounter near Stolac, with a loss of 20 men on each side.

Thirty-five men from a Dalmatian regiment, having deserted to the rebels, and calling out the Dalmatian landwehr has been postponed, because of their known disaffection.

Austria is making stupendous efforts to have a contract signed with the Austrian Lloyds to transport 50,000 men to south Dalmatian points, and nine large steamers to be continually employed.

There was a false alarm recently at Castelnuovo, Dalmatia, and the American commandant Johannovich, fearing a general rising, threatened to bombard the city from the port.

Three battalions encountered 1000 insurgents on the 27th ult., on the banks of the Saverna, and the rebels losing considerably retreated.

The Latest from the Jeannette Survivors.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A *Herald's* special from Irkutsk, dated January 31st, says: Lieut. DeLong's party has been traced to a desolate locality on the west bank of the Lena. Engineer Melville and Boatswain Chipp are searching ardently. I am under positive orders and will bear investigation. Lieut. Chipp's little boat has not been seen since September. A gale doubtless swamped her. If she is not found before spring, I will charter the steamer Lena and search first between the river Olonok and Kolyma. Her crew has been an invalid since October last. The Jeannette entered the ice near Herald Island, September 5, 1879. Her forefoot was twisted from the bit of January and we pun pad for 18 months. The vessel drifted 900 miles northwest during 20 months and she was crushed and sank on June 12, 1881, in latitude 76, degrees 15 minutes north, and longitude 156, 20. She discovered Jeannette, Henrietta and Bennett islands. We made our retreat over the ice to near Siberia islands, and then in boats to the Lena delta. Engineer Melville was given charge of the boat by DeLong, as I was blind. He is my only intelligent help was rendered by Boatswain and everything possible to the men.

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HOFFMAN.

Danenhower Ordered Home.

The secretary of the navy received the following this morning:

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.

Hunt, Washington:—Danenhower with nine men await orders at Irkutsk. HOFFMAN.

In reply Secretary Hunt telegraphed for Danenhower and party to return to the United States as soon as practicable, and Melville and party to continue search after the DeLong party as long as the slightest hopes of recovery remain.

Financial Notes from Paris.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Paris special: The government is openly charged, not only by the public, but by many newspapers of this city, with favoring the schemes of the manager of the Union Generale, and are in a manner responsible for the losses. It was reported on trustworthy authority that the deficit reached 90,000,000 francs. A dispatch from Vienna says the question of the failure of Union generale will be brought before the Austrian reichsrath at an early day, as it is hinted that the minister of finance who is expected to resign, had something to do with Mr. Bontoux's schemes. At the Paris and Petits bourses stock markets under the influence of the syndicate of bankers closed steadier with slight reaction. A judicial inquiry has been commenced into the affairs of the Union Generale, and a large couple of experts are now engaged examining accounts. In the chamber of deputies today M. Andrieu moved that the government intervene to check a panic.

A Depressing State of Affairs.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—The Bourse was depressed to-day owing to the deplorable accounts received by brokers from provincial clients entailing heavier losses on brokers than was expected, but arrangements with official markets keep good, and saving unforeseen events a settlement will be easily overcome. Troops guard the office of the Union Generale at Lyons to prevent the populace entering them. Union Generale has paid all engagements at Rome. Count de Chambord, as well as persons of high position among the Austrian clergy, and aristocracy, lost heavily by the failure.

Union Generale Notes.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—It is believed legal proceedings will be commenced against Bontoux.

Paris is excited over the news received by the refusal of Lander bank to pay 17,000,000 francs which have been depended upon to enable Union Generale to meet its liabilities.

Thirty-one strong boxes in Union Generale's vaults were found empty, and an examination of its books proves that when Bontoux stated its profits were 67,000,000 francs, there was really a deficit of 90,000,000 francs.

Bank Shares Falling.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The bourse was generally depressed to-day. Suez canal shares fell off 105 francs and Ottoman bank shares 40 francs.

The New French Prospectus.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—In the chamber of deputies to-day De Freycinet read the programme of the new cabinet. It was to the effect that the policy of the government will be one, above all, calculated to establish peace in the minds of the people at home and abroad. It will be firm and conciliatory, and will apply in a liberal sense the laws relative to the press and right of public meetings. While maintaining the rights of the statutes, revision of the constitution ought to be postponed until expiration of the term of the present legislature. Judicial, military and educational reforms initiated by the late cabinet will be persevered in with their best efforts.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—At the exchange during this afternoon, the stock market being influenced by fears of a decrease in the money market and flatter prices in Paris, became gloomy, but toward the close there was a recovery in prices on the being announced that the bullion drawn out was much smaller than at first anticipated, only £200,000 being taken for France, while there are shipments of £ 20,000 last week and everything possible to strengthen home.

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AMERICAN BREADSTUFFS IN EUROPE.

Ten European countries must buy part of the grain they consume from the United States. Our cheap lands and improved methods of farming are fast driving all other countries from the world's grain markets. Russia sold 9,000,000 centals of wheat to Great Britain only three years ago; now she sells but a little over 2,500,000. Germany which furnished 5,000,000 centals in 1878, furnished her but 1,750,000 in 1880. London controls the grain market of Europe, but on the other hand, her own market is controlled by the wheat fields of America. Before 1860 the United States did not export on an average over 4,000,000 centals of wheat yearly. Between that date and 1865 the average amount was nearly 17,000,000. Then commenced an increase of grain export without parallel in the history of commerce. Our wheat exports reached in 1876, 29,530,000 centals; in 1877, 21,500,000 centals; in 1878, 38,500,000 centals; in 1879, 65,500,000 centals; in 1880, 82,000,000 centals. During three years, 1876 to 1880 our flour exports had increased from less than 7,000,000 centals to 10,500,000 centals and the corn we sold went from 24,500,000 to 49,000,000 centals. Bad harvests in America and remarkably good crops in Europe, checked our tremendous exports in 1881, but these conditions on both sides are unusual, and the decline is merely casual and temporary.

Our grain exports do not go exclusively to England as in former years. There the increase since 1860 in wheat alone has been 35,000,000 centals. Belgium bought comparatively none from us in that year, but in 1879 she took 7,200,000 centals. France commenced in 1860 with 2000 centals of American wheat. Nineteen years later she took 37,000,000 centals, and the increase in flour and corn is still more marked. With all this, there remain good reasons for supposing that we are only at the beginning of grain-exporting to continental states. Cheap transportation can easily make it possible for us to supply other continental states with the millions of grain they are now buying from abroad, for the increases of their purchases from us have not by any means reached the amount we can yet make them. If wheat bears the cost of transportation even from Australia, Egypt and Chili, to Europe, and statistics show that it does, there certainly can be no further question as to our furnishing the article at as low a price in any continental harbor.

The demand from Europe for American grain is increasing in full pace with our ability to supply it. Grain growing in competition with us is fast becoming unprofitable, and the markets now wholly supplied from the other side are looking toward America. An example, of this is Switzerland, which imports about 7,000,000 centners of grain yearly, but to the present time almost wholly from Eastern European states, while 117,000,000 francs worth of wheat and corn are bought yearly by Italy, a small proportion only coming from the United States. So, too, is it with Sweeden, Portugal, the Netherlands, and Greece, all large buyers of grain and of meat, but not yet buying extensively of the United States. Supposing that Europe continues to produce the same quantities of bread as now, there is still left the numerous markets referred to, to be supplied, and that with amounts which, in their totals, would double the exports we now have. There is no likelihood, however, of production continuing so largely in Europe when it is becoming unprofitable. Cheap labor is counterbalanced by dear land, and the question of American supply has become almost wholly a question of freights. If with but $2,000,000 acres of land in wheat we can now support 50,000,000 of our own people, and send about 100,000,000 of spare bushels abroad, what will we have for export when all territories of American wheat-land shall stand in golden grain?

Our corn-fields have produced surplus crops for Europe that are scarcely less astounding than the shipments of wheat. From 3,000,000 bushels sent abroad in 1860, the exports had risen to more than 85,000,000 bushels in 1879; and this is supplemented by something like 11,000,000 bushels of rye, barley, and oats furnished to Europe in that year.

A CONFLICT OF LAWS.

The annual revenue to the government received from distilled and fermented liquors for the last fiscal year is stated to have amounted to $60,000,000. This greatly exceeds the total amount of revenue from customs collected any year before the war. When President Jackson retired from office the entire public debt was only about $337,000. The dependence of the government on this particular source of revenue needs no further elucidation. This fact is one which seems to be strangely overlooked by local reformers of the prohibition type. While congress encourages the importation and sale of liquors, the state legislatures are invoked to annihilate the traffic, and the effort is now quite general to obtain amendments of the local constitutions to entirely suppress dealing in articles which furnish a large proportion of the means for keeping the wheels of the general government in motion. Here is a conflict which must be solved before the supposed golden age will arrive, when the sale of strong drinks will be substantially closed up. Nor is it an entirely new one. In the first congress the "rum question" was one of the first and most prominent to receive attention. The evils of intemperance were felt then as now. They were publicly confessed, nor is the idea of annihilation of the use of intoxicants one for which modern reformers can set up the claim of novelty. But our early legislators were practical men, and recognized the doctrine that the true way of preventing sales is to do away with the demand for the article. For instance, Elbridge Gerry, in 1789, spoke to the national house of representatives, thus:

"It has frequently been observed that rum is injurious to the morals of the people. If I could have my wish, it should not be to diminish, but to annihilate the use of it, both foreign and domestic, in the United States; but to encourage the importation from the West Indies, and destroy our own distilleries, can never be good policy." The measure which he resisted was the imposition of a duty of six cents per gallon on molasses, and he added, "that will destroy the capitals of the distillers, and ruin the men. But why do this? To prevent the use of rum? Yet, gentlemen, consider the consumption of spirits as their great source of revenue." George Thacher, the first congressman from Maine, took the same view, argued for sustaining our own distilleries, and looking out for our fishermen. These observations are pertinent to our times as to those when congress was first called on to deal with the subject. To encourage huge importations of an article for purposes of raising revenue, and then forbid the sale and use of it, is absurdon its face.

The prohibitionists at Washington appear to be moving fo a commission to enquire into the subject of the liquor traffic. Pray, what is the use of such a commission? As respects importations, the facts are open to everybody. As to prices to sales in the states, the subject is beyond the jurisdiction of congress. If the object is to inaugurate prohibition, it already has a field, and an experimental one too, by passing a law that shall reach congressmen and all others in the district of Columbia. That would be beginning at Jerusalem.

FORTUNES FOR THE FEW.

It is said that Oregon derives little benefit from the protective tariff on wool. But it is an indisputable fact that we do get better prices in London than here. Consequently no "protection" is needed to keep foreign wools out of Oregon. Not long since this was stated, in substance, as presented in these columns. But the San Francisco *Chronicle*, arguing for a prohibitive tariff on the ground that it makes high prices, attempts to meet the statement by remarking that "during the manufacturing boom of 1880 the enormous quantity of 128,136,747 pounds of raw wool was imported into the United States, and that the shipments came from all points of the compass." The *Chronicle* ought to have added that this wool came into our eastern ports. No part of it was brought here to compete with our wool, for the very good reason that better prices can be had in any quarter of the globe than here. Hence it is that "protection" does not protect Oregon wool-growers. But as we can manufacture little or nothing here, it does enable eastern manufacturers to make high prices for the goods we consume; and our farmers lose more through this system than they could possibly gain by any unscalled protective policy. It is a most singular idea that wealth, for the masses, can be gained by obstructing trade or the exchange of commodities which the interests of the people would prompt them to engage in, and which it is confessedly the object of a protective tariff to hinder or prevent. Such obstructions of trade can be used, and are used, to make great wealth for individuals and monopolies; but it is accomplished at the expense of the great body of the people. Great fortunes are, indeed, the result of the protective system, but all the protection received by the few who accumulate those great fortunes must be paid for by the masses; and hence the great policy of "protection," though so much lauded, is only a contrivance to enrich a few at the cost of the many. A limited class have conceived and put into practice the doctrine that it is a good scheme for them to make the great body of the people pay high prices for commodities which the comparatively small class have to sell; and the government is called in to rob the many for the benefit of the few. This is "protection," and all there is of it. On no subject is there so much effort to mystify and befog the people. Perhaps the reason is that it pays to do so. It must be owned too that the beneficiaries of the system are highly successful in the practice of their duperies on the people at large.

DO WE WANT IT?

The question for the people of the Northwest in regard to the Northern Pacific land grant is simply this: Do they want the Northern Pacific railroad completed, or do they not? If they want it they will realize the danger of crippling or destroying it by proceedings in congress, inspired by the Union and Central Pacific monopoly, to make its land grant, which is largely the basis of its credit, useless. If they do not want it of course they will approve the attack of the rival roads on the resources relied upon to build it. If our people want to be shut in here always, with no industrial or commercial development of their country, and pay tribute in perpetuity to corporations controlled in the interest of other sections, then by all means they should second and encourage the effort to cripple or destroy the Northern Pacific. Will it be said that even if the Northern Pacific fails we shall soon have connection with the east by other lines? 'Tis a false hope. These other lines have been moved to make demonstrations in this direction only by the activity of the Northern Pacific. It is opposition and rivalry, which will end just so soon as the progress of the Northern Pacific is arrested. The Union and Central monopoly hold our traffic and will always hold it, until the Northern Pacific is completed, even without building to Oregon. Therefore the so-called Oregon short-line will stop just so soon as the Northern Pacific can be checked. Under these circumstances it is for the people of the northwest to say whether they want railroad connection with the east, or not. If they do they will support the Northern Pacific. If they do not they will approve and encourage the efforts inspired by the selfish monopolists of California and New York, and by the enemies of the northwest, to hold our section in perpetual vassalage, prevent any independent development here and force the trade of this country for a further indefinite period, to take as heretofore and now, the circuitous and expensive route by sea and rail through San Francisco and over the Union and Central monopoly lines. If this prospect is a pleasing one to alleged newspapers of the northwest which clamor incessantly for hostile measures against the Northern Pacific, then their conduct is perfectly intelligible. If this is not what they want, the motive can only be a stupid or sinister one.

There is an opinion among physicians that many foul and dangerous disorders are changing their type and becoming not only less fatal, but more amenable to treatment. Herbert Spencer, oddly enough alludes to this fact to emphasize his doctrine of evolution. Who knows? Perhaps disorders may, by science, be changed into delights, just as weeds have been converted by man into food in the form of wheat and rye, and a poisonous variety of nightshade into the crisp and toothsome celery.

In Europe there is one soldier to every 110 of population. In the United States we have one soldier to every 2000 people. The area of the United States is almost double that of Europe, but we have only 17 inhabitants to the square mile, against 145 in Europe. In such facts as those will be found the reason why 700,000 men and women found their way across the Atlantic to our shores in 1881.

More than four weeks have been spent in a fruitless attempt to organize the legislature of New York, and the democratic factions appear to be as far from an understanding as ever. The vote for speaker in the house runs 47 for the republican candidate, 46 for the regular democratic and 7 for the Tammany's man. There is no contest in the senate, as the lieutenant governor presides.

The proper way for Beeville to raise money would be to accept the offer of the showman who wants to exhibit the body of Guiteau, after his execution, all over the world, and give the family half the profits. The world will pay more money to see Guiteau's body, after it has hanged forty minutes, than to hire lawyers to save him from hanging.

The district of Tarapaca, Peru, which Chili contemplates appropriating, is estimated to be worth $1,000,000,000. As the entire cost of the war to Chili has been but $30,000,000, it will undoubtedly prove a profitable speculation to that country.

The following from the Atlanta *Constitution* is an item for you, and may be something more: "The star route thieves were in quite a row in Congress to escape the law; but President Arthur showed them How. We trust the remark will not place us in the light of trespassers upon the domain of the western humorists."

The salmon catch of 1881 in British Columbia was nearly three times greater than that of the year before, and increased in value $741,000 over the same period. During the year 2993 men caught and packed 177,693 cases of 48 pounds each.

In spite of the remonstrances of the United States and England, prosecution of Hebrews in Russia continues. Reports of mob-rout proceedings read like some of the black pages of English history two centuries ago.

One can fancy the fun the Harvard freshmen had at Oscar Wilde's lecture last night, and sigh to be a boy again. A finer piece of burlesque has not recently been reported.

MEETING NOTICES.

Multnomah Engine Co. No. 2.—Regular monthly meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7½ o'clock. Also regular annual meeting, officers for the ensuing year will be elected. A full attendance is desired.
J. H. WOODFORD, Secy.

Couch Engine Co. No. 6.—Annual meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important election of officers and other important business to be acted. The attendance of every member is desired.
E. T. HOWES, Secretary.

Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.—Adjourned meeting this evening at 7½ o'clock.
H. M. MASTER, Secy.

Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.—Annual meeting for the election of officers this evening at 8 o'clock.
H. M. McMASTER, Sec'y.

Willamette Engine Co. No. 1.—Annual meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock.
A. H. TANNEL, Sec.

Tiger Engine Co.—Annual meeting will take place at Odd Hall at 7:30 P. M., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and the reception of reports of officers for the past year.
O. SUMMERS, Sec'y.

K. F. M.—Attention, Knights.—You are requested to be at your lodge at 7:30 this evening. Business of great importance to be transacted.
JAS. J. DOWER, Scribe.

WM. SHERRY, Com'r K.E.M.T. & H. Society

Columbian Engine Co. No. 3.—Annual meeting this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
R. M. DONOVAN, Secretary

Imp. O. R. M.—A special meeting of Mat nomah Tribe No. 3 will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, by order of the Sachem.
R. MENDENHALL, Sachem.

BORN.

Jan. 31, to the wife of Alex. Kaufman, a boy—weight, 10 pounds.

MARRIED.

Near Fairfield, Jan. 30, by Rev. D. M. Keene, Mr. Samuel Phillips of Polk county, and Miss Mollie Skaife of Marion county, Oregon.

NEW TO-DAY.

THIRD WEEK OF

The City Dry Goods Store's Annual Clearance Sale

AT ACTUAL COST.

Under no circumstances is any article sold above cost. Ladies will please remember the old stand, **147 Third St.**, formerly John Wilson's.

McCoy, Cheapest Printer, First and Stark.

TWO SALESMEN WANTED—APPLY TO THE Singer Manufacturing Co., 82 Morrison st., near Fifth. 2tf

LOST.

ON OAK ST., BET. FIRST AND WEST PARK, a Lady's Scratch Walking Satchel. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the store of Beck & Waldman. 1t

FARM WANTED.

WOULD LIKE TO BUY A SMALL FARM, IMproved, within 7 to 10 miles of Portland; am willing to pay a fair value, but no fancy price. Address, stating price, location, etc., Granger, this office. 24tw3t

NOTICE.

SCHOOL TAX FOR 1881.

ALL TAXES REMAINING UNPAID AFTER Monday next will be declared delinquent and subject to cost. D. W. WILLIAMS, School Clerk. Feb. 1, 1882. 2d 105 Morrison street.

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE OLD PIONEER Barber and Hair Dresser,

C. J. GRAHAM,

Has removed to new quarters on Second St., (No. 85) between Stark and Oak, where he will be happy to see all of his old customers. Every thing in first-class order, and experienced workmen. Give me a call. 26tm

WE HAVE IN STOCK AN ASSORTMENT OF fine grades Black Gros Grain Silks, Satin de Lyons, Silk Armures and Satins, which are offered during our fourth annual clearance sale at cost.
OLDS & KING, 186 First st., bet. Yamhill and Taylor.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between H. R. Schwab and Alfred Anderson, under the firm name of Schwab & Anderson, general painters, 106 Front street, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. R. H. Schwab is retiring from said copartnership.
R. H. SCHWAB.
ALFRED ANDERSON.
Portland, Or., Feb. 1, 1882.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE THIS DAY purchased the interest of R. H. Schwab in the late firm of Schwab & Anderson, and will conduct the business as heretofore, under the firm name of A. Anderson & Co.
ALFRED ANDERSON.
M. SHILLERSTON.

Referring to the above, I respectfully recommend the new firm to the public, and ask a continuation to them of the business bestowed on the late firm. 26tf R. H. SCHWAB.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

STEAM LAUNCH EVRIL!

At Foot Columbia Street,

TUESDAY, FEB. 8, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DESCRIPTION:

Iron hull; 34 feet long; 6 foot beam; 4 feet depth of hold, with eight to nine-horse power steam engine; propeller wheel 32-inch diameter, and cabin over all; has only been run a short time and is in first-class order. Will be running on day of sale for inspection. Terms of sale—one-third cash, one-third in 30 days, one-third in 90 days. Liberal discount for cash 24tf S. FRIEDMAN, Auctioneer.

PORTLAND FISH MARKET,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

Fresh and Salt Fish of All Kinds.

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS & FAMILIES SUPPLIED ON SHORT NOTICE.

All Orders promptly attended to, and delivered to all parts of the city.

JAMES WILLIAMS, Prop'r,

Stalls 8 and 9, Central Market. 130m

Saved on every dollar's worth of Job Printing by patronizing Edw. A. Swope & Co., the best Printers in the State, 109 Front and 5 Washington Sts. Blank-Books made to order.

TAX NOTICE.

THE TAXPAYERS OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY will please take notice that the tax roll for the year 1881 has been placed in my hands for the collection of taxes, which are now due and payable at the office of the sheriff, at the court house. An early settlement particularly requested.
jan24tw6wed JOSEPH BUCHTEL,
Sheriff and Tax Collector of Multnomah County.

THE ESMOND RESTAURANT,

THE BEST IN THE CITY.

Special Rates to Families.

Second-hand Machinery For Sale.

ONE TWO-FLUE BOILER, SIX FEET; FLUE 12 in. in diameter; tested to 100 pounds; one fifteen-horse boiler, 50 inch bed.
Three 16 to 18 inch all the fittings complete.
One 8x12 horizontal steam engine.
One 9x18 horizontal steam engine.
One 8x24 horizontal steam engine.
One 9x24 upright steam engine.
Two 16 horse upright steam engines.
One surface planer; planes 24 inches wide.
Also, shafting, hangers, pulleys and boxes.
WILLIAM COLLIER,
feb1tm Madison St., between Third and Fourth.

FOR SALE.

A handsome block in south end of city only $8000. Two cheap Blocks $6650 and $4500 in Portland Homestead Association. A choice Block in Couch's Addition, price $8500. 200 Acres of Land near East Portland, $10,500. 4 Lots in choice locations on Third st. A few Choice Lots in Wilson's addition.
feb3t FERRY & WHITE, Real Estate Agts

WANTS.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK; no washing. Apply at 8 o'clock this morning, 86 Fourth and Ellis. 2feb1

WANTED—A SITUATION AS NIGHT WATCHman by a man who can furnish good references. Address T. B., Oregonian office. 2feb1

WANTED—SITUATION AS A DRY GOODS clerk; references of the most favorable character. Address "Dry Goods," Box 202. 1feb

INFORMATION WANTED OF WILLIAM AND Theodore Cummings, of Norway, who are supposed to be in Oregon. Any information regarding them may be sent to the undersigned. CHRAWA.

WANTED—AGENTS TO GENERAL HOUSE work, 1 to 3 in each State. 28tf

WANTED—A GOOD AGENT TO TRAVEL for the Independent Pocket Ash Holder and Combination Coal Hod. Liberal terms to the right man. Address ASH HOLDER, Box 1, Oregonian office. 2feb1

WANTED—A PARTNER IN THE HOTEL BUSiness. A good opportunity for a man with small capital to buy the best paying and best located hotel for sale in Portland. Must be well known in the city. Address P. O. Box 1, Portland, Or. 27tf

MILLINERY AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

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S. LIPMAN & CO.

JUST RECEIVED,

ONE HUNDRED PIECES

40 INCH ALL WOOL

COLORED CASHMERES,

ALL GOOD SHADES,

Price 75 cts. per yard.

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Portland, Or.

IMMENSE REDUCTIONS

In All our Departments.

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LOOK AT OUR INDUCEMENTS

Very Nice Brocaded Dress Goods..... 10 yards for $1
Very Nice Plain and Brocaded Dress Goods..... 7 yards for $1
Double Width Brocaded Dress Goods..... 5 yards for $1
Very Fine Brocaded Dress Goods..... 22½ and 25c per yd
Dress Plaids..... 15c per yd
Very Fine Plaids..... 25c per yd
Worsted Plaids..... 35 and 40c per yd
Black Cashmeres..... 35, 37½, 40, 45c and up
Colored Cashmeres..... 30, 35c and up
Cable-knit Table Damask, 37½, 45, 50c & up
Bleached Table Damask..... 50, 75 and 90c
Pure Linen Napkins..... 45c, $1, 1 25 per doz
Pure Linen Towels, $1 25, 1 50, 1 75 per doz
Dress Buttons, all colors..... 10c per dozen
Ladies' White and Fancy Cotton Hose..... 10c per pair
Ladies' Wool Hose..... 25c per pair
Ladies' All-Wool Hose..... 35, 40, 50 and up
Children's Cotton Hose..... 10, 15, 20, 25 and up
Children's All-Wool Hose..... 25, 30 and 35c
Corsets..... 40, 50, 75c
3-Button Kid Gloves..... 50c per pair

FURNISHING GOODS:

Men's Colored Shirts..... 50, 75, $1 and up
Men's White Shirts..... 75c, $1 and 1 25
Men's Linen Collars..... 5 and 7 for 25c
Men's Linen Cuffs..... 20 and 25c per pair
Men's Black and Colored Ties..... 10, 25, 40c and up
Men's Bk. & and Colored Scarfs..... 25, 35, 50c and up
Men's Black and Colored Hose..... 10, 15, 20c and up
Men's White and Gray Knit Underwear..... 35, 50, 65c
Men's White All-Wool Undershirts..... 1 25 and up
Men's Red Flannel Shirts and Drawers..... 1 25

A full line of Overshirts at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Call Early and Secure Bargains

WERTHEIMER & BOLLACK,

106 FIRST ST.,

Between Yamhill and Taylor, Portland.

P. VAN FRIDAGH,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Dry Goods, Fancy and Millinery Goods,

No. 111 First St., bet. Washington and Stark, Portland, Oregon.

We are instructed to sell at auction, at the Real Estate office of Ferry & White, on Stark st., bet. First and Second, on SATURDAY, Feb. 4th, at 10 o'clock A. M., that CHOICE RESIDENCE PROPERTY being fractional lot No. 7 in the south half double Block G, together with FINE RESIDENCE thereon. This very desirable homestead is delightfully situated, on Eleventh st., bet. Salmon and Taylor sts., and this sale affords an excellent opportunity to buyers wanting a well situated homestead.

GILMAN & CO., Auc'rs.

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AGENTS FOR LLOYD'S

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The Underwriting and Agency Association,

Office for sale at Wholesale Prices:

Bell Lead; Bass and Taggart's Ales; Burke's and Guinness's Dublin Stout; Red Cap Ale; Genesee Ale; Scotch Whisky in cases and bulk; Dunville and other Irish Whiskies; Jules Robin Brandy in cases and bulk; Jacquin's Champagne; Marseilles; Perrier's and Carte Bleu Champagnes; Fleur Sherries and Ports; Lea & Perrins' Celebrated Pure Malt Vinegar; Pure Cider Co.; Brandt's Table Salt; Nubone and Hazel's Vermicelli; Wheat Sacks and Headings; Fire Bricks; Soda Crystals, Soda and Ash; Chloride of Lime; and Black Prof Caustic Soda; Pig Iron; Coke; Sheet Iron; Galvanized Iron; Saucepans; Fry Pans; Japanned Ware; Tin and Zinc Plates; Baron Tin, etc.

CITY TAXES.

The Tax Roll for 1882 is now in my hands for collection, and all taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office, 105 First street, within thirty days from this date, or the same will be returned as delinquent. Office hours 8 to 3.
Feb. 1, 1882. B. C. McKERCHER, City Treasurer.

TO LET.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS with or without board. 23 Union avenue, one block north of Couch addition. 1tf

DWELLING FOR RENT.

A NEW 8-ROOM HOUSE, WELL FURNISHED in the modern style architecture, furnace, range, and every modern convenience. Apply to E. HOWARD & CO., Sheldon Cash Store, Front and H. 26tf

HANDSOMELY FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET at 27 Yamhill. 24tf

FOR RENT.

FRONT PARLOR ON 2ND FLOOR; NICELY furnished; suitable for a gentleman or two gentlemen; also a nice room upstairs. Inquire at No. 4 Fourth St., between Morrison and Yamhill. 23tf

FOR RENT.

A LARGE FRONT ROOM, NICELY FURnished, suitable for a gentleman, in a private family near the postoffice. Address Box 20. 1tf

TO LET.

BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH, NICELY furnished rooms in the Sherlock House, corner Second and Oak. Night keys furnished roomers when desired. may27tf

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

BUSINESS TRANSFER.

I HAVE THIS DAY DISPOSED OF MY BRANCH Bakery, Madison and Park sts., to Henry Rehfuss, to whom I commend my former patrons of this Branch.
I will be found ready and willing to push the interests of the new bakery, Washington street, between Sixth and Seventh, and respectfully invite the public to call. jan6tf CHAS. McGINN.

MISS CAHILL,

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO, WISHES TO INform the ladies of Portland that she has opened a fashionable dressmaking establishment on Third st., between Washington and Alder. Cutting and fitting a specialty. Satisfaction and elegant finish guaranteed. Country orders promptly attended to. 2tf

FORTUNE TELLER.

CHARMS FOR LOVE AND LUCK. MME. LEROY, 73 First st., upstairs. Fee $ 00. 1tf

WEEKS & MORGAN, Wholesale & Retail Grocers and Feed Merchants, Nos. 247 249 and 251 Front st., bet. Main and Madison. mh1

BERKHART & SPAULDING, Butchers and Packers, cor. Second and E sts., offer a full line of best quality of Meats, Hams and Bacon. mh1

FINANCIAL.

TO LOAN.

$1500 TO LOAN, THREE OR FIVE YEARS, APPLY to LENT & McGREW, jan26tf No. 10 Stark st.

MONEY TO LOAN.

I AM PREPARED TO NEGOTIATE LOANS FOR a term of years on improved farm land at favorable rates of interest, payable annually. jan14tf A. W. COCROCK, 151 First st.

PRIVATE BOARDING.

ELEGANT FURNISHED ROOMS, BY THE WEEK OR MONTH, WITH OR WITHout board. Transients accommodated. Location best in the city. Address P. O. Box 216. d5

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Attorneys and Counsellors-at-Law,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

Room 31, Union Block. Consultation and advice free to ladies. jan24-3m

C. H. UPTON & WM. H. UPTON,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Walla Walla, W. T.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO COLLECTIONS at Pendleton, Centerville, Weston and Milton, Or., Walla Walla, Waitsburg, Dayton, Pomeroy, Colfax and Palouse City, W. T.

SHIPS' NOTICES.

BR. BK. "COUNTY OF HUME," CAPT. THOMson, from Shanghai. Neither the master nor undersigned consignee of above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew. 31d3t HENRY HEWETT, Consignee.

BR. BK. "ARGOSY," CAPT. FISHER, FROM Montevideo. Neither the master nor the undersigned consignee of above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew. 31d3t HENRY HEWETT, Consignee.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted by any one except by ourselves or our firm or by our agent, Moy Yuck, at the end of the N. P. R. R. track. 1d6t TWIN WO & CO.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE no agents authorized to contract for me, and I will pay no debts not contracted by myself. jan1tm PHŒBE STEPHENS.

NOTICE.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE OREGON and Washington Fish Propagating Co.—You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon and Washington Fish Propagating Company held at the board of trade room, in the city of Portland, on the 8th day of February, 1882, at 7 P. M., for the purpose of authorizing the directors to tender the hatchery on the Clackamas river to the United States government for fish propagating purposes. By order of the board of directors.
jan31dtd W. CODE,
President Or. & W. Fish Propagating Co.

SKATES!

DAYTON, HALL & LAMBERSON,

Corner First and Taylor Sts. Portland.

WE ARE IN EARNEST!

During the continuance of this, our FOURTH

Annual Clearing Sale

We wish to effect a more thorough clearance of stock than at any of our former sales. We make no reserve, but offer our

ENTIRE STOCK

Of every intending purchaser of

STAPLE DRY GOODS, FANCY DRY GOODS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Improve this opportunity. "Do not put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day," but make your selections as soon as possible.

OLDS & KING,

186 FIRST ST., BET. YAMHILL AND TAYLOR.

THE LEADING SUIT HOUSE.

H. B. LITT will, by Monday give reasons why his store should be named the LEADING Suit House.

THE REDUCTION

In the price of refined sugar, and the large addition we made to our factory during last month, enables us to announce to our patrons.

A SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTION IN THE PRICES OF OUR

CANDIES!

Dealers will please take notice that we manufacture more different kinds of Candies than any other factory on the coast, and guarantee pure quality and full weight.

ALISKY & HEGELE,

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145 First and 148 Ankeny Sts.

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LADIES' STEAM BATHS.

Comfortable Parlors for visitors.

28 Washington St., bet. First and Second, jd3tm Portland, Or.

MRS. C. J. DeLETTS,

MAKER OF

Dresses, Cloaks, Ulsters, Dolmans.

CUTTING AND FITTING A SPECIALTY.

Apprentices wanted. Inquire or call at 241 SIXTH ST. 113d1m

FOR SALE.

SEATTLE PROPERTY.

ALL PERSONS HAVING PROPERTY IN SEAttle, who want to sell it, will find purchasers by communicating with the undersigned, giving a description of the property and prices asked.
fi NELSON & PHINNEY, Seattle, W. T.

FOR SALE.

235 ACRES, OPPOSITE OSWEGO IRON Works; half mile of river front; fine water of living water—2000; half down. Twenty acres five miles from East Portland; brush land; fine two-story school house one-fourth a mile distant.
1d3 LENT & McGREW, 19 Stark St.

SUBURBAN LANDS.

75 ACRES, SIX MILES EAST OF PORTLAND; one-third in cultivation; house, barn, ore yard, etc.; price, $500.
40 Acres, three miles south of Portland; commands an excellent view of the city and surrounding; would make a delightful suburban home; price, $500.
7½ Acres three miles east of Portland; fronts on good road; level land; price, $50 per acre.
480 Acres; dairy farm; all grass land; some spring water; good buildings; price, $15 per acre; very cheap.
10 Acres, two and one-half miles from city; level; good suburban location; price $125 per acre.
80 Acres, nine miles west of Portland; timber and; price, $10 per acre.
For further particulars of the above and a large amount of other lands near the city, see
jan6tm VAN B. DELASHMUTT.

FOR SALE.

ONE BOILER, TOGETHER WITH ALL ATtachments, in first-class condition. For particulars apply at the office of the Oregon Furniture Mfg Co., First and Yamhill streets. 27tf

A BONANZA FOR SOME ONE.

A STOCK OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE; OF about $7000, together with store, lot, space, ground, etc., is offered for sale for the next 30 days. It is located in one of the richest and healthiest parts of the country; very handy for shipping; low freights; fine mills, and among the most prosperous farmers to be found anywhere. Object in selling, failing health and a change necessary. Persons meaning business can get particulars from FERRY & WHITE,
jan8 Real Estate Agents, 28 Stark St.

FOR SALE—MILL PROPERTY IN SOUTHERN OREGON.

THE FLOURING MILL AND VALUABLE water power privilege owned by the Eberle estate, near Roseburg. The property embraces an equipped mill, 630 acres farming and grazing land, 10 acres for additional mill site, suitable for woolen mill, with right of way for ditch to same. Rare opportunity for investment. For particulars address J. C. FULLERTON, Roseburg; or McDOUGALL & BOWER, 155 First St., Portland. jan16dw

WHO WANTS IT?

HERE I AM, WITH ONE MORE CHOICE farm, that must be disposed of within the next sixty days. It belongs to an estate and has to be closed out. There is 101 acres of it, all under a high state of cultivation, with good fences all around it. It is located one mile south of Gervais, on the line of the O. & C. R. R., in the very center of the Willamette valley; 91 acres of it under the plow, 10 acres timber. There is now growing on the place forty acres of fall wheat, a good orchard, lots of blackberries and other small fruits; a fine two-story brick house containing seven hard-finished rooms, good cellar; good stable, and other outhouses; one harvester, one fanning mill, one seed drill, plows, harrows and a lot of small farming implements too numerous to mention. Price $6300; half cash, balance on time. For further particulars call on or address HARRISON B. OATMAN,
jan24tm Portland, Or.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.

ONE HUNDRED TOWN LOTS IN THE CORY little town of Canemah, on the banks of the Willamette river, adjoining Oregon City. Here is an opportunity to invest a small amount of money, which will in the near future pay you an hundred-fold upon your investment. Call at my office, get prices, see maps and plats of the property. I have also about one hundred acres adjoining Canemah, which is divided up into tracts of from one to forty acres; some good timber; others adapted to garden purposes; some stone quarries, and others carp ponds for those wishing to engage in the fishing business. Anything you want. Just call around, make a reasonable offer, and you will get yourself a home for a very small amount of money. This property is to be sold for what it will bring—first come first served. Call upon or address HARRISON B. OATMAN,
jan16dtm S.E. Cor. First and Stark Sts., Portland.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. SHERWIN,

ARCHITECT AND SUPERINTENDENT,

Offices—Rooms 41, 42 and 50, third floor, Union Block, First street, Portland, Oregon. jd1tm

MARYE & WEBBER,

Civil Engineers and Surveyors,

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WE WILL SELL AT OUR SALESROOMS,

FRIDAY, FEB. 3,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

CARPETS,

50 yards Tapestry
100 yards Brussels
50 yards Two-Ply
75 yards Ingrain

FURNITURE,

5 Fine Bedsteads,
5 Spring Mattresses,
Feather Pillows, Tables,
Furniture, Bed Clothing,
Heating and Cook

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...'s Boots, Ladies' Gaiters, Balmorals...
...d kid and cloth, and leather shoes...
...r, Brogans and Rubber Boots...
...ens' Overshoes...
...kin Caps, Blanket Shirts, Cassimere...
...d Boys' Suits...
...Lining, Embroidery, Insertion, Felt...

...Belts, Pocket Knives, Men's Lined...
...ockery, Men's Underwear, Toweling...
...Scarfs, Jewelry, Plated Ware, Rocks...
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...s, Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads;
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...Real Estate, Horses, Cattle, etc.
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...ll for parties owning them.
...day and Evening, as advertised.
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AT
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SIX PRIZES:
...ained Character—Lady and Gen...
...Finest Costumes—Lady and Gentle...
...Comical Characters—Lady and ...
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...Grand Masquers, 81; Lady Masquers, ...50c.
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...ticulars and price list, address
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NEW DESIGNS IN
Sentimental Valentines.
...s from 5c to $5 each.)
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...N & CO., San Francisco,
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...ebruary only make stylish fitting
...ilk suits for $15. Cutting and fitting
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CITY.

...SUNSET'S LECTURE.—It is seldom that a ...land audience has listened to as weighty and ...ressive a presentation of social questions as that ...ivered yesterday evening by Mr. Sunderland, upon the ...ject in question. Basing his thought upon the con...ception of universal law, and the organic life of ...he traced the successive stages of individ...ual transition and uniformation, and noted graph...ically depicted the dualism, or conflict of man be...tween the life as an individual and the life as one ...of society. The great destructive and constructive ...forces of individualism, when introduced upon the ...previous uniformity and social purity of Rome, ...as typified by the German reformation, which was ...not in a church affair—an emancipation from ...every authority, moral, mental or civil; but ...a military authority, moral, mental or civil; but ...in other lands individualism tends to nihilism ...and socialism, the lateral pressure of striving masses, ...on the weak and lifting the fortunate on high, ...the prizes of power and wealth fall to the few, ...the era of centralization comes, with the inevit...able evils and fevers which follow the disturbed ...action of the body politic. The lecturer seemed ...not to take a gloomy view of social phenomena, ...predicted revolution and social anarchy for all ...Europe and America, as the result of causes ...at work. We have seldom listened to a more ...striking description of the antagonisms between the ...classes and the unfortunate classes, and the ferocious ...hate and fell wrongs, ever against the carelessness and ...wicked insolence of the favored, was described ...with the eye and voice of a seer. The deeply under...lying wrong of selfishness and brute force, deems ...to an irresponsible conflict. If religion did its ...work, this conflict might be averted but what it ...is this conflict might be averted but what it ...is feeble and mechanical, besides what the ...exigencies of society demand. We deem such ...exposition as Mr. Sunderland made, a good tonic ...for careless progressionists, who do not see how the ...law governs wheat and tares, and that society ...grades by the same law that it gains ground. ...The whole lecture should be printed to do justice to ...its theme and lecturer, and simply repeat the audi...ence who loudly applauded at the close. The next ...lecture of the course is on Feb. 3, by Prof. Condon ...on State Universities.

...PRESENTATION.—Mr. A. J. Marshall, deputy ...city clerk, was presented in open court with a ...handsome hunting-case gold watch and chain by ...the judge and the members of the bar of ...Multnomah. Mr. J. N. Dolph made a few appro...priate remarks on behalf of the bar upon presenting ...the gift, lamenting Mr. Marshall on the offi...cial vacancy which he had always performed ...with credit, and assuring him that he was held in ...high esteem by the judge and members of the bar. ...Mr. Marshall responded in a short and neat address, ...thanking the donors for the magnificent present, ...and for their kindness and forbearance with which ...he had been treated by them during the seven years ...he had been in charge of the court records. The ...watch bears Mr. Marshall's monogram, neatly en...graved, and the following inscription: "Presented ...to A. J. Marshall by Hon. R. Stott, judge of the ...United States district of Oregon, and the attorneys ...of the bar, Feb. 1, 1882." After the speeches ...were made that a minute of the proceed...ings upon the court record, and it was so ...ordered.

...Last dusk Tuesday evening William ...Smith of the Sandy river. He was out ...with his brother-in-law, and they killed a ...deer on the opposite side of the river. They at...tempted to cross the stream in a frail skiff without ...oars, but was leaky and they had nothing ...suitable to guide it across. The older ...man was carried down the current carried it over some rap...ids, and soon heard from young Rose was a ...short distance below, the boat containing him was car...ried with fearful velocity over the falls, and ...was dashed on the rocks below. Ross was ...about 20 years old, and the son of a farmer. ...The body has been recovered, although a num...ber of friends and relatives were engaged in search...ing for it.

...CHANGES OF TEACHERS.—The following changes ...have been made in the teachers' corps of the pub...lic schools: Miss Hattie Collier of the third grade ...of the Park has resigned, and Miss Ida Lemon ...has been appointed to the position; Miss Lutie Van ...Zandt, fourth grade Central, has resigned, ...and Miss Ida Lemon has been transferred to the ...vacancy thus created; Miss Anne Ban has been transferred from the ...Harrison street school to the eighth ...grade school; Mrs. Anne Ban has been transferred ...from the Park school to the charge of Eighth school; ...Miss Hattie Barlow has been elected to the ...charge of the Park school, Central school; Miss Anna G. ...Smith, sixth grade Harrison street, and Miss ...Ella Smith, sixth grade, B class, of the same ...school, will be continued in the place vacated ...by Miss Smith.

...ARRESTED.—Henry Meyer, who for some ...time has occupied a room in Burchardt's build...ing, on the southwest corner of Second and Wash...ington, as a saloon, in moving yesterday tore ...down part of the room which supported the up...per floor, struck a Chinaman and his family fell ...and was arrested and arraigned in Justice ...Chapman's court on a charge of defacing a building not ...his own. The case was taken under advisement by ...the court, who will render a verdict to-day.

...ON THE ISLAND.—The government dredge has ...been on Sauvie's island for a long time since Saturday and ...has made satisfactory progress. It was not deemed ...necessary to be at the expense of sounding, hence ...how much silt is to be moved is not known. The ...channel is said to be about 3500 feet long. At St. ...Helen's island is a trifle over seventeen feet at ...low water.

...ARRESTED.—About three months ago the United ...States marshal seized several packages of ...goods which white men and Indians were attempt...ing to take into the territory, and sent the stuff ...to Portland. The matter came up in the U. S. ...District court, and Judge Deady ordered the liquor ...destroyed.

...Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, ...a boat was seen proceeding up the river ran ...into the piers of the Willamette bridge and ...sprung a leak in her bottom. After discharging ...her cargo she was beached on the East Portland ...side. The damage is slight.

...THE ORCHESTRA.—The Orchestra Union has leased the ...hall in Landsburg & Mann's new block on ...Second, near Fourth. The room is 47 feet ...wide by 100 deep, and will be used both for ...dancing and possible performances.

...ARRIVALS OF THE Y. M. H. A. who have ...been invited for a special meeting to be held ...this evening are hereby informed that neither the ...lecturer nor president have authorized the issue ...of tickets.

...THE Wright Post will give their next ...entertainment according to programme, at Turn ...Verein Hall (Friday) evening. Holders of ...tickets will be on hand early in the evening.

...ROLL OF HONOR.—To the roll of honor, recently ...published, the names of Fannie Dickinson, Wil...lie Fleming and Charles Straus, of the high school, ...have been added.

...CHURCH.—The new M. E. church at Mt. Tabor ...will be dedicated on Sunday, Feb. 19th. President ...Carson, of Willamette university, will pronounce ...the dedicatory address.

...SENTENCED.—George Friends, who was ...convicted and found guilty of larceny, was ...yesterday sentenced by Judge Stolt to five years in ...the penitentiary.

BRIEF MENTION.

...Pay your school taxes.

...All fire companies elect officers to-night.

...All school taxes unpaid next Monday will be de...linquent.

...The Idaho and the Eureka crossed to sea yesterday ...morning at 8:30.

...Prof. F. Caples lectures to-night at Nonpareil ...Hall for the benefit of Stoneman Post, No. 31, G. A. R.

...A report gained circulation that a man fell from a ...load of logs near the water works and was drowned ...yesterday, but it could not be traced to a reliable ...source.

...Capt. E. Tibbetts leaves this morning for Lake ...Labish, O'Grelle, where he will be purser of the ...steamer Henry Villard and assistant division pay...master.

...Schwab & Anderson, the well known printers, ...have dissolved partnership, Mr. Schwab retiring. ...The business will be continued by Anderson & ...Anderson.

...Anderson's, 167 Third street, is the best place to get ...sewing machines repaired, and for needles, attach...ments and silk thread, machine parts, etc.

...Valentines, Valentines and Masks, at New York ...Novelty Co.'s, 49 First street.

...Best coffee in city. Eastern and local oysters in ...any style. White cook in charge of cuisine. Open ...all night. Burrows', 80 Second street.

...Salem Oysters every steamer at Keith'

...A fine second hand Piano, good as new, at 153 Third ...st. Must be sold at once.

...Agents and canvassers wanted at New York Nov...elty Co.'s, 49 First street, for fast selling articles.

...Hacking coughing. Get Hamburg burst tea drops and ...pure honey sugars at Postoffice candy store.

...The happiest woman is she who has her sewing ...machine repaired by John Barbey, 32 Yamhill street.

...Now say you have no faith in pawn brokers. Why? ...Because you have never tried Uncle Myer's estab...lishment. If you had purchased your goods of him, ...you would have seen that he would give you a ...square deal "every time." 181 First street.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Last night the city council met in regular session, President Honeyman in the chair and all members present.

PETITIONS, ETC.

From Vincent Cook and others, asking change of grade at Twenty-first and F streets; referred to committee on streets.

From J. W. Cook and others, asking change of grade at Twenty-first and G; same reference.

From T. A. Davis and others, remonstrating against proposed improvement of Eighteenth, from Eleventh to Nineteenth; same reference.

From Mrs. S. A. Barrows and others, remonstrating against extension of Sixth street south of Stark; same reference.

From Chas. Berger, asking to be paid for work on D street culvert; same reference.

From Edward Carstens, asking that assessment on Lots 1 to 4, block 211, be reduced; no action.

From Walker and others, remonstrating against extension of Mill street, between Tenth and Fair...banks; same reference.

From Mohton & Sons, remonstrating against fix...ing screen on chimney at rope works; referred to committee on fire and water.

From H. M. Hudson, tendering his resignation as a policeman; no action.

REPORTS.

From the city attorney, announcing the recent verdict in the case of the city vs. Kamm; referred to committee on streets and public property.

From the viewers in the extension of Thirteenth street, referred to committee on streets and public property.

CLAIMS.

The following bills against the city were ordered paid:

J. J. Robinson	$ 391 17	John Barrett	3 65
Shindler & Chadbourne	35 00	Labbe Bros	6 25
F. M. & P. Co.	154 28	J. H. Bunting	15 85
E. J. Jeffery & Co.	1105 56	O. F. M. Co.	141 00
C. F. Stratdett	64 50	*Standard*	23 49
C. C. Dobychower	45 00	Portland Gas Co.	
C. E. Oliver	60 00	Co.	25 68
D. Ruhpruner	148 45	Shindler & Chadbourne	41 62
Corbett, Failing & Co.	2 60	John Bonneburg	2 50
G. P. Lassells	15 00	Williams et Iron Works	52 30
Smith Bros. & Watson	40 00	P. J. Johnson	11 30
J. Sommesen	48 00	A. Joseph	6 00
Burton House	153 38	A. Hunter	213 00

NEW ORDINANCES.

Authorizing a contract with Smith Bros. & Wat...son for cistern covers, rings, tops, etc.; passed.

Asking the furnishing of plans and specifications for city hall; read twice.

ENGROSSED ORDINANCE.

Allowing Chinese to burn fireworks during their new years; amended by adding words "except Sun...days." Yeas, 6; nays, 2; passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That notice be given that the common council proposes to establish the grade of College street at the following elevations: Center line of Tenth street, 205 feet; west line of Tenth street, 206 feet; center line of Eleventh street, 246 feet; center line of Twelfth street, 316 feet; center line of Lownsdale street, 372 feet; center line of Thirteenth street, 440 feet above the base of grades.

Resolved, That notice be given that the common council proposes to improve G street from center line of North Front street to west boundary line of the city, by macadamizing the street full width and bringing the present macadam to the established grade, laying new sidewalks, crosswalks and box-gutters, and constructing a bridge (or culvert) the full width of the street at the crossing of Tanner creek and the grading required in making the said improvement.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 1, 1882.

U. S. vs. Eugene Oates, H. S. Graden, Nicholas Lellis, Lol Lung, Chas. Pyburn, Geo. Woodward, E. T. Cooper, Chas. Pickens, Esther Tell, Mario Garnier, Geo. Fan graves, Michael Casey, Frank Dico, Frank Thompson, Baltine Manard, Pat Casey, Lee Boo, Ah Ying, Hop Sing, John Barns, Wm. Roland; (separate cases) disposing of liquor to Indians; information filed.

U. S. vs. Low Wey, disposing of liquor to Indians; information filed, arraigned, plea of guilty; fined $10 which was paid.

U. S. vs. W. H. Frost and A. Tyler, violating internal revenue law; information filed.

U. S. vs. Chas. Atkinson, mailtreating a sailor; information filed.

U. S. vs. Geo. Williams, Al Lai, F. A. Shaw, Wm. Waitt, John McDonald and H. Hanson, deserting from a ship; information filed.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

Application of C. E. Sitton to perpetuate testimony; order allowing application.

Alfred Sears vs. Louis Park; judgment, verdict for defendant.

Phillips vs. Luxish; order requiring plaintiff to pay referee's fee within ten days.

A. J. Weed vs. H. Weed; referred to Semon Smith.

McGill vs. Espey; judgment on the verdict.

Willamet Iron Works vs Portland Macadam Paving Co.; on trial.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST. CHARLES.

R M Hopkins, Olympia		Miss J Anderson, Dalles	
J H Robbins & wf, Pilot Hill		Miss Bennett, S F	
E W Talbott, Colfax		O M Wain, Albany	
J Minckle, St Helens		B Abercrombie, Cathlamet	
H F Butler & wf, Dallas		Wm R Melville,	"
Mrs S A Nichols,	"	G F Motherside,	"
J Kohn, S F		T Hodgkins, Quinns	
A C Jones, Seattle		C Oswald & wf, W W	
Col J T Long, Kentucky		O K Laughlen, S F	
R A Lindsey, S F		J E Binns, Cascades	
E B Searey, Cascades		S R Porter, Aumsville	
T Armstrong, Silverton		C White, Tacoma	
W H Whitrel, Tacoma		G W Maxwell, Butter Crk	
F Houseworth, N Yamhill		J B Sleet & wf, S F	
Miss W A Caples, Astoria		W J Sullwan, S F	
H Capper, S F		I Sinaprol, S F	
M L Jarratte, S F		L F Orkley, San Jose	
S Howlett, Stockton		A Mallan, Oakland	
C L Catlin, Oakland		H B Hamilton, S F	
C E Martin, S F		Master R L Martin, S F	
J C McCorney, S F		J F Howe, S F	
D Owens, S F		Mrs Wilson & dtr, S F	
Wm Berry, Oakland		Mrs G W Mittar, S F	

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

O Jennings, Or City		P Lorenzen, Astoria	
J M Fletcher, Okl		M J Frazier, Fotaluma	
T Totten, Olympia		J Johannsen, Slavonia	
G Sotzen,	"	J J Knauff, Dredger	
E B Sprague, S F		J B Smith, Vancouver	
J Angel, city		A D Wright, Washougal	
B E Harris, E Portland		T Lange, Sandy	
J Peterson, Sandy		A Smith, Astoria	
H C Griffith, Independ'		E Jones, Salem	
F Owens, S F		J Howe, S F	
J Morrow, S F		J Ezel, S F	
T Dunkelt, Beaverton		M L G Wheeler, Or City	
W C Ledgerwood, Corv		W V Johnson, Roseburg	
L Helmick, Parker		E M Briggs & wf, Hillsboro	
I Waddell, Seattle		W Moore, Seattle	
G N Fawcett, Corvallis		J Noon, Ainsworth	
Mrs M Henshaw, W W		J Parkhill, Walla Walla	

THE RAMOND.

C F McKim, N Y		W C Haslett, N Y	
S B Jones, S F		C H Bonesteil, Vancouver	
D Ware, Vancouver		H Smith, Salem	
C Goodnough, Leland City		J L Coman, Lebanon	
C B Montague, Lebanon		G Miller & wife, Aurora	
H J Butler, w&ch, Dalles		H C Allen, San Francisco	
H Caffer, Columbia City		W R Lindsey & wf, Tacoma	
F A Call, Walla Walla		M Hro, S F	
J Brown, Sing Sing		H A Koefer, Harrisburg, Pa	
S P Prux, Walla Walla		H L Rees, —	
E B Sprague, S F		W F McKay & wf, Dallas	

CLARENDON HOTEL.

J McCormick, S F		E C Bloomfield, W W	
J Haft, Rapid City, D T		L Sohns, Vancouver	
H Copelins, Eugene		H C Owen, Eugene	
A S Abernethy, N Tacoma		R H Armstrong, Albany	
J G Walker, S F		H J Magill, O H & N Co	
A Wood, Walla Walla		L M Germans,	"
W F Stevens,	"	C W Nelson, Eugene	
J F Moore & wf, Dallas			

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours. The following observations are taken at the same moment of time at all the stations named.

PORTLAND, Feb. 1, 7:57 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom	Change last 3 Hours	Ther	Direc tion	Wind: Rain, fall in inches	State of weath.
Portland	30.46	.04	39	Calm	.00	Cloudy
Olympia	30.34	.00	38	S	.01	Rainy
Roseburg	30.42	.00	35	Calm	.00	Clear
Red Bluff	30.34	.06	46	N	.00	Clear
Sacramento	30.24	.06	46	N	.00	Clear
Umatilla	30.36	...	36	E	.00	Cloudy

River 5 inches above low water mark; steady. Maximum temperature, 43.2 degrees; minimum temperature, 31.5 degrees.

AUCTION SALES.

Gilman & Co. hold a catalogue sale of boots and shoes and general merchandise this morning in their salesrooms at 10 o'clock.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

James Williams, proprietor Portland fish market, has fresh and salt fish of all kinds.

No stages have crossed Snake river at Olds' ferry on account of ice. Mails and passengers are transferred in a small boat.

Alice Oates says she would have had no trouble with her husband if he had obeyed her orders. That is the way with lots of women, Alice. Men are so unreasonable.

With a large experience here and elsewhere, Smith & Hansen, of the St. Charles restaurant, run and conduct the best eating house in the city. Indulge in a meal.

D. W. Prentice & Co., leading music dealers, the only house in Portland that deal in musical merchandise exclusively. Largest stock of pianos, organs, sheet music and everything that pertains to the music business. Send your orders direct to us.

ONE OF THE INSTITUTIONS NOW is the German Bakery, which was recently removed to more commodious quarters, 145 Third street. Their cakes, pies and bread are unequalled. Leave orders.

MUSIC.—Wiley B. Allen, 153 Third St. Orders filled. Send stamp for catalogue and Musical Journal.

Fine oil paintings, engravings, chromos, Ornamental frames made and regilding done. Volney's, 153 Third St.

Have your clothes cleaned and dyed at the American steam dyeing and cleaning works, 10 Salmon St.

The DAILY OREGONIAN is for sale at Gill's.

THE BLOCKADE RAISED.

Yesterday the Harvest Queen found her way from The Dalles to the Cascades with a few passengers and nearly all accumulated mail. The river at that was much harder than the night before, but the boat had great difficulty to force her way through. A strong Chinook set in about 2 P. M. and prospects are good for a general break up to-day.

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS.

The silk fair at Philadelphia opened Tuesday night.

No land league money was invested in Union Generals.

The damage at the Houston, Texas, Monday fire was $30,000.

Consolidated Virginia levies an assessment of 50 cents a share.

Parnellites will oppose the application of Gladstone to parliament.

No organization of the New York legislature has been made yet.

Public Printer Defrees is said to have resigned by advice of physicians.

Dr. Kenney will be dand league candidate for parliament for Meath.

Dr. Carver won the shooting match at London Tuesday over Gordon.

Capt. Eads thinks the transcontinents railroads are trying to defeat his canal scheme.

The Spanish pilgrims going to Rome are all Carlist soldiers or friends of the Carlist movement.

A bill was reported favorably in the senate Tuesday appropriating $10,000 for free vaccine virus.

The deaths from smallpox at Pittsburg last week were 220, and 80 new cases were reported Tuesday.

The nomination of H. B. Nichols as postmaster at Norfolk, Va., has been withdrawn by the president.

Three young ladies were drowned while crossing the river at Broadway depot in Virginia, Tuesday.

A leading banker of Hanover committed suicide Tuesday over losses by the Union Generale failure.

Senator Miller introduced a bill in congress Tuesday to prevent unlawful occupation of public lands.

The cottages at the Philadelphia mint in January, 1882, aggregated 7,734,000 pieces, value at $56,270,000.

Mrs. William B. Stone, of San Francisco, was thrown from a horse and killed at Oakland yesterday.

On account of unforeseen difficulties, the office of *United Ireland* will be removed from Paris to Liverpool.

Snow to the depth of six inches fell on the Norfolk and Western railroad, in Virginia, Tuesday night.

John L. Wilson, of Indiana, was appointed recorder of the land office at Colfax, Washington, yesterday.

The new minister from Denmark was formally received at the White House Tuesday by President Arthur.

A large anti-polygamy meeting was addressed by Governor Neil of Idaho, at Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday.

A gasometer at Newark, N. J., containing 100,000 feet of gas exploded Tuesday. Loss, $25,000. No one hurt.

Senator Hill, of Colorado, entertained the president and several other dignitaries at his residence yesterday.

The president nominated Wm. H. Armstrong of Pennsylvania, as commissioner of Pacific railroads, Wednesday.

Two white men, McKee and Singleberry, have been arrested for the murder of a negro preacher at Clinton, La.

Dillion writes to Secretary Forster indignantly rejecting the offer of liberty on condition of leaving for the continent.

Senators Sherman and Ingalls had an animated tilt Tuesday over the funding bill, both gentlemen becoming provoked.

Two men were killed and five wounded by a collision on the Scioto valley railroad near Hanging Rock, Ohio, Tuesday.

The Washington & Ohio railroad was sold Tuesday for $592,000, to E. A. Hoyt, formerly commissioner of Indian affairs.

Monday, February 27th, has been selected as the day for holding Garfield memorial services in the house of representatives.

Fifteen more arrests have been made in connection with the murders in Ireland of the process server, Huddy, and his nephew.

The heaviest snow storm of the season occurred in New England Tuesday. Trains were delayed all over New York by the same storm.

Oscar L. Baldwin, late cashier of the Mechanics' national bank at Newark, N. J., was sentenced Tuesday to fifteen years in the state prison.

Textile manufacturers of Philadelphia have contributed $20,000 for the establishment of schools of instruction in the work of manufacture of such fabrics.

The committee appointed by the anti-polygamy meeting at Chicago last week met Tuesday and organized a movement for a general agitation of the subject.

The Russian government claims to have evidence that the anti-Jewish movement in Russia is kept up by the revolutionary party, although not originated by them.

All the telegraph wires leading out of Houston, Texas, were prostrated by the fire in the telegraph office building and, no further particulars can be ascertained.

CRIMINAL NOTES.

Disbelief Beds.

STERLING, Ill., Jan. 31.—The village of Rock Falls is in somewhat of an uproar because of a man and woman named Seymour having beaten, starved and otherwise brutally used a seven year old daughter of Mrs. Bolts, whose husband is in an insane asylum. The little girl was working for the Seymours, but has now been taken away and is under physician's care. Twenty or thirty people last night visited Seymour for the purpose of lynching him, but he escaped with his wife, and diligent search failed to discover them. The methods employed upon the innocent child are too diabolical for mention.

Stolen Goods Recovered.

JACKSON, Mich., Jan. 31.—The $12,000 worth of silks stolen from Camp, Morrill & Camp, at Jackson, last Wednesday night, have been found lodged in the office of J. M. Welch, a lawyer, situated a few feet from where they were taken. A fellow named Thomas, who had an office with Welch, sold three pieces of silk last Saturday at Albion, which were identified. This set the officers at work, and they captured the goods. Thomas has fled, and Welch is in jail.

A Brutal Murder.

WINONA, Minn., Jan. 31.—Robert and John Carroll brutally murdered with pitchforks Titus Hoyt, a respected farmer with whom their father was in dispute. The Carrolls, who are a hard set, have been arrested.

Bound to Kill Somebody.

DIXON, Ill., Jan. 31.—Sunday night Mrs. D. W. Miller, becoming involved in a difficulty with her husband, seized an axe and attempted to kill him. Failing in this she retired to another room, saturated her clothing with kerosene and set fire to her dress. She was burned to death.

Fate of a Fiend.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Jan. 31.—Wm. Steele, a tramp on Saturday night stopped at a farm house and asked for supper. Finding a woman, Mrs. Buel, he outraged her and fled. Neighbors caught the fiend, hung him, and then piled brush about the body, and setting fire to it burned it past recognition.

A Family Row.

DANVILLE, Va., Feb. 1.—A desperate fight occurred yesterday on the Laufer plantation, between the King and Slate families. Shotguns and pistols were used freely. Tom King was stabbed eight times, old Mrs. King was mortally stabbed and Mrs. Slate badly wounded.

A Fearful Crime.

RINGGOLD, S. C. Feb. 1.—Anderson Singleton and Lucinda Tisdale yesterday brutally murdered Phoebe Tisdale, sister of Lucinda. After Singleton had crushed in her skull with an ax, Lucinda plunged a knife through her sister's heart. They then threw the body into a deep gulch. Jealousy was the cause. Both were arrested.

Found Dead.

LANCASTER, S. C., Feb. 1.—The body of Thomas Hankins, a prominent young man of this place, was found in a gold pit here to-day with his throat cut and pockets rifled. No clue to the murderers.

SEATTLE NOTES.

SEATTLE, Jan. 31.

The coal shipments from this point during January, aggregated 19,127 tons, and were the largest of any previous month in the history of the port.

The republican primaries to-day were almost a fizzle. In the first ward 11 votes were cast though 8 persons were elected delegates, and the polls were open 6 hours. In the second ward 20 delegates were elected on a vote of 18, and in the third ward 59 votes were cast and 22 delegates elected. In the 84 votes were cast at the primaries out of a republican vote in the city of fully 800. In the country less interest was manifested. The people generally did not approve the calling of a delegate convention merely to fill a month's vacancy in the single office of the sheriffalty, and intentionally staid away from the primaries. Three candidates are in the field, all republicans, namely, Gardner Kellogg, John H. McGraw and J. F. Jordan. Kellogg will probably receive the nomination and the other two will not be candidates before the convention, but will run independently. The democrats here are in a hopeless minority and will neither nominate a candidate of their own nor indorse a republican.

Real estate here is selling as never before, and at figures at least a hundred per cent. higher than those of one year ago, and in some cases two hundred per cent. higher. During January two hundred investments were recorded, the average consideration being $1000. One hundred and forty was the highest number ever before recorded in a single month.

The American Seaman's Friend Society have determined to establish a mission on the Sound, and have appointed Dr. N. W. Lane chaplain for the year beginning April 1st. The bethel will probably be located in Seattle.

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PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Denis Kearney on Deck.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Last evening Denis Kearney, at Pixley's hall, organized the first workingmen's club of the 12th ward. Sixty members signed the roll and the following were elected officers: Wm. Wright, president; Isaac Fish, secretary, and P. Ryder, treasurer. Kearney addressed the club at length and urged those present to organize and agitate the Chinese question so that congress may be forced into passing a bill to drive the people of the Pacific coast some relief and check the tide of Chinese immigration. He announced that he would hold a meeting to-night at Curry's hall.

Shipping Statistics.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—An abstract of the shipping statistics for this customs district for 1881 has just been completed. It shows that there were in service at the close of the year 685 vessels in all, 342 of which are sailing vessels and 343 steamers, 552 engaged in the coasting trade and 133 in foreign. The increase in vessels over the number in service at the close of 1880 is 18, and increase in tonnage 4,050. Thirty-three vessels have been built during the past year, having a total capacity of 6,035 tons; 24 vessels, with a capacity of 4551 tons, were lost at sea and wrecked, and ten, with a capacity of 1098 tons, were abandoned as unfit for use. The number of vessels lost at sea, wrecked and abandoned as unfit during 1881, was fifteen less than the previous year. Three vessels only were sold to foreigners during the year, five less than the previous year.

Criminal Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The suit of Mrs. Jane B. Forbes vs. Wm. F. Ridgway, for recovery of $10,000 damages for alleged breach of promise was called for trial to-day in department No. 1 of the superior court. Defendant asked for two weeks' continuance of the case, but the motion was denied. Defense was mainly based on the claim that plaintiff was not legally divorced, and therefore a married woman. The trial will probably last several days.

This evening the jury in the case of state vs. Sullivan, tried for shooting and killing a Chinaman some weeks ago, brought in a verdict of manslaughter.

The Lawlor Investigation.

At a regular meeting of the board of trade last night the investigation of the charges preferred against Dr. Lawlor were continued. The doctor was examined and has been required to testify under oath to the number of persons he had vaccinated. After hearing additional testimony in the case the board adjourned.

An Interesting Meeting.

The Geographical Society held a very interesting and profitable meeting last evening. The subjects were the effects of counter-electrical currents, Wrangel Land, and the inter-oceanic canal.

Suicide.

The body of an unknown man was found at Golden Gate park, near the entrance, this morning, a pistol grasped in his right hand and a bullet through his head. He was middle aged and of respectable appearance.

A Startling Rumor.

There is a rumor about town, which carries with it many evidences of authenticity, to the effect that Blanche Douglas, a woman implicated with the Malley boys in the Jennie Cramer case at New Haven, is the widow of a prominent United States official who died suddenly in this city several years ago.

Californians in a Hurry.

In the Senate to-day Miller presented a petition from the immigration association of San Francisco, urging the early passage of an act to carry into effect the Chinese immigration treaty.

NEVADA.

Fatal Accident.

CARSON, Jan. 31.—An accident to the regular passenger train from San Francisco on the Virginia and Truckee railroad, occurred this morning at Winter's crossing. The snow having drifted a considerable depth, the plow struck a plank in the receding and the locomotive and express car left the track. The mail, two passenger cars and the sleeper kept on. The engineer, fireman and Wells, Fargo & Co's messenger were slightly injured. Three Indians riding on the tender were killed.

A Fatal Ending.

ECHEA, Nev., Jan. 31.—Terry McMahon and John Potter quarreled in a saloon here to-day, and agreed to go into the back yard and fight it out. The latter was getting the worst of the fistcuff, when he took out a huge pocket knife and stabbed and hacked McMahon terribly. The wounded man will probably die. Potter is in jail.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, Feb. 1.—The customs collections at the port of Victoria for January were $25,000, an increase of $5000 over those of January last year.

The bark Germania from San Francisco to load at Departure Bay, arrived yesterday.

Another American Co. has a notice in the newspapers to-day of intention to apply to the provincial legislature for the charter of a railway from Victoria to Seymour, and a grant of the coal lands in aid thereof.

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[illegible]

COLONEL HOLDEN'S WILL.

[illegible] Miss Barbara [illegible] Hugh Greatorex will [illegible]

I am

Your answer prompter more decided not withstanding [illegible] Greatorex stated above his papers with an incredulous bewildered air

I am to understand then that you disdain young Bonnifield's offer that you will not avail yourself of any part of your rightful property that you sacrifice all

A flash of her black eyes an impatient foot tap interrupted him

Ah she said

But the brisk little lawyer was not to be thus foiled

My dear Miss Barbara he continued, suavely this is a delicate matter very delicate matter indeed but I beg you to reflect if not on the proper offer at least upon the — the primary condition of the will You understand your grandfather of course, he presumed you would not find this hard, and as far as Hubert —

The black eyes flashed more vividly, again the crisp voice spoke

Mr Greatorex spare your pains I will not marry Hubert Bonnifield, I will not take from him these estates For both, this is my first will and testament, so please let the subject drop

She finished with her hand on the door knob and swept from the apartment down the hall and into the charming little boudoir which until this evening, had seemed to her a paradise, into which, heretofore, she had brought scarce a disturbing thought. Her face softened a burst of tears would have been the speedy sequel to her indignation, but for an object that met her eyes

A fair object to look upon; a twist of twin roses gracing the bracket whither, a few hours since they had been tenderly carried, where this same Barbara had bent over them with blushing countenance, and touched them with her lips. Poor flowers! now beholding them, her brows bent pitilessly she seized them and flung them far out on the lawn The action was a relief, with it resentment temporarily faded and she seemed lost in self amaze

Who would have believed I would do that this morning' she murmured. But truly since morning life has changed Then I was near to loving Herbert Bonnifield, now I think I am as near hating him as ever I'd like to be And he—'

She did not finish she stood staring wistfully down the roadway, as if seeking the sequel there—down where the flowers had fallen where they lay waiting revengeful agents, though Barbara dreamed it not

It was a surprising denouement that which had occurred this day Old Colonel Holden had been three months dead, the search for his will, vain, though vigilant, was about being abandoned and an administrator appointed when, accidentally, the hunted document came to light And a startling document it proved conferring the colonel's rich estates, untrammeled, upon his granddaughter on condition that she married Mr Hubert Bonnifield, which, failing to do, the same were to pass in unfettered into the said Bonnifield's possession Either of which conditions, Hugh Greatorex executor, was charged to see speedily fulfilled

On the face, a most arbitrary will, but to those acquainted with Colonel Holden the matter was very plain He had been through life an inveterate jester, his humor must needs tinge his will Noting with a favorable eye young Bonnifield's attentions to Barbara—as yet in their first bud—and prizing himself on his sagacity, he had in a fit of jollity revoked all former testaments and indited this; chuckling to think that, should he die ere things were settled, how delightfully, under these arbitrary conditions, he had arranged for his "dear young folks." And he had died, and [illegible] leaving this surprise.

Barbara understood it; unfortunately Hubert Bonnifield demurred. His delicacy was to be his first stumbling block. There was no joy in his countenance when he heard the startling news; he appeared to fathom but one point.

'It seems very ridiculous, Mr. Greatorex," he said, "that I should offer to forego all claim to Miss Barbara Holden's estates, but this is in my view, the proper course. Please manage it as informally as possible, also we may make a matter of importance out of a farce "

Hugh Greatorex was not surprised.'

"A fine young fellow, Mr. Hubert Bonnifield," he mused, privately; "but Holden did not know him as well as I. The case stands thus He can have pretty Miss Barbara to-morrow for the asking; but ask her he never will, without some advance on her part—something to satisfy his nice soul Undoubtedly she will miscomprehend him, and so the chances are that we shall see a genuine love match nipped in the bud. But perhaps after settlement, in time—stranger things have chanced."

And Hugh Greatorex bustled off to Barbara with the news

Not an over-pleasant mission for the little lawyer, who knew the case so well For as Hubert Bonnifield had ignored the will's first condition he must necessarily do the same he must smother suggestions, at least till the open point was ruled. But he was ill prepared for the decision that was to rule this out.

To Barbara, under the most delicate stirrings, Hubert Bonnifield's action would have caused offense, in its bare, legal representation it grew a mighty thing. Believing that he loved her, she had anticipated but one course, all the day she had been awaiting him, wondering that he did not come.

From her light nature the delicacy of his motives was hid; bewildered, indignant beset by varied emotions, she took refuge in the defiance which so amazed Hugh Greatorex, and which culminated as we have seen

But, as we have seen, resentment faded, wistfully down the roadway Barbara stood gazing where the flowers had fallen, where they lay waiting, revengeful agents though she dreaded it not

Little thought Barbara whose hand would find his roses, fateful would their feelings be. Through the twilight, into night, she sat waiting, turning away at least but with the hopeful murmur

He will surely come to-morrow—surely as to-morrow comes

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To-morrow but not Hubert Bonnifield, a week of to-morrows and still he did not come A week and then on the passenger list of a European steamer she read his name

It had been all a mistake, he had never loved her he was only too glad to yield up the estates that he might be freed from her So reasoned Barbara as she read Not strange, perhaps since she lacked the hint that Hugh Greatorex should have given her ignored her hasty words suspected not the flowers that lay in wait that night

And her pain the realization of her late cruel price flashed upon her Odd that it should be a comfort, but so it proved to Barbara and she clung to it persistently over and over she repeated

I will never take the estates Hubert Bonnifield shall take them or the will will be forever void"

To-day Hugh Greatorex pleaded Barbara was firm The homestead was vacated and with an old faithful servant she went to reside a few miles from thence

A year passed and still the late cruel affair [illegible] stood [illegible] and [illegible] did not [illegible] Barbara persistent Hugh Bonnifield as one day Full one evening Hugh Greatorex app eared in her cottage with a letter in his hand

That he said excitedly pointing to the concluding clause

You read as follows

I expect soon to be in W— with my wife And in [illegible] Miss Barbara [illegible] that I assured her inheritance of [illegible] still de

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